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Adam Sherwood, Manager
Northside Collision Dewitt, LLC
6881 Manlius Center Road
East Syracuse, NY 13027

Re: Underground Injection Control (UIC) Program Regulation
Request for Information: SDWA-UIC-IR-16-028
Northside Collision Dewitt LLC (UICID: 16NY06713185)
6881 Manlius Center Road
East Syracuse, NY 13027
Onondaga County

Dear Mr. Sherwood:

The facility referenced above may be operating underground injection wells subject to EPA jurisdiction under the Safe Drinking Water Act. An EPA inspection indicates that both a wash bay floor drain and a service area floor drain leads into a main drain. The main drain leads into an outside oil/water separator tank but, the final destination of the drain fluids was unclear. This letter is to require the owner/operator of the above named facility to determine the discharge point(s) of the drains and if they discharge to drywells submit inventory information for them.

EPA records indicate that the above-referenced facility has not inventoried any underground injection wells as required by 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) §§144.26, 144.27 and 144.83(a). EPA records also indicate that the above-referenced facility has not received authorization to emplace fluids into an underground injection well by permit, in accordance with 40 C.F.R. §144.31, or by rule, in accordance with 40 CFR §§144.24 and 144.84. Failure to operate an injection well under authorization by rule or permit constitutes noncompliance with Underground Injection Control (UIC) program regulations. The UIC program regulations are designed to assure that the operation of injection wells will not contaminate underground sources of drinking water (USDW) and endanger human health.

Should you own or operate any facility using underground injection wells, you must, as required by 40 CFR §§144.26, 144.27 and 144.83(a), complete inventory forms for these facilities. Enclosed is an inventory form (EPA Form 7520-16) and a request for information that must be completed if you possess a facility which uses an underground injection well. Enclosed is a listing of Class V injection well types (Enclosure 1). Please use Enclosure 1 when filling out the inventory form. The form can also be found on the internet at:
https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2015-10/documents/7520-16_508c.pdf

Please submit UIC inventory forms to the following address:

Nicole Foley Kraft, Chief
Groundwater Compliance Section
United States Environmental Protection Agency
290 Broadway, 20th Floor
New York, NY 10007-1866
Re: 16NY06713185
Attn: Robert Ferri

As required by 40 CFR §144.88, if you operate a motor vehicle waste disposal well in a source water protection area you were required to close your well or apply for and obtain a permit by January 1, 2005; if you operate a motor vehicle waste disposal well that is not located in a source water protection area you were required to close your well or apply for and obtain a permit by January 1, 2007.


If you are certain that there are no discharges from this facility into a UIC Class V well, you must submit verification that all drains discharge to somewhere other than an injection well, such as the storm or sanitary sewer; surface water such as a stream, lake, etc.; or onto the ground surface. Examples of verification would be: 1) a letter from the superintendent of the Sewer Authority reporting that no drains at the facility discharge to an injection well and where they do discharge, or 2) results from a dye test performed by a licensed engineer or plumber proving the drain(s) discharge to somewhere other than an injection well or 3) an updated plumbing blueprint of the facility verifying where each drain discharges and that none discharge to an injection well.

Failure to respond to this letter truthfully and accurately within the time provided may subject you to sanctions authorized by federal law. Please also note that all information submitted by you may be used in an administrative, civil judicial, or criminal action. In addition, making a knowing submission of materially false information to the U.S. Government may be a criminal offense.

If you have any questions please contact Robert Ferri of my staff at (212) 637-4227 or by e-mail at ferri.robert@epa.gov.

Sincerely,



 Douglas McKenna, Chief
Water Compliance Branch

Enclosures

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